STATE OF IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:	DOCKET NOS. TCU-04-13
VCI COMPANY	TF-04-400
	CERTIFICATE NO. 0287

CERTIFICATE

(Issued December 1, 2004)

On September 10, 2004, VCI Company (VCI) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29. Also on September 10, 2004, VCI filed a proposed local exchange tariff that contained the terms, conditions, and rates for local exchange service and listed the exchanges where VCI intended to provide service. Revisions to the proposed tariff were filed on November 12, and 23, 2004. The proposed tariff and revisions have been identified as TF-04-400.

An order approving the application and the proposed tariff, with revisions, is being issued concurrently with this certificate. Since VCI will have an approved tariff to provide local exchange service, the Board will issue Certificate No. 0287, authorizing VCI to provide local exchange service in the listed exchanges.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

This certificate of public convenience and necessity, issued pursuant to lowa Code § 476.29(1) (2003), authorizes VCI Company to furnish local telephone service in the exchanges as shown by its tariffs as currently and subsequently approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

	/s/ Diane Munns
ATTEST:	/s/ Mark O. Lambert
/s/ Judi K. Cooper Executive Secretary	/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 1st day of December, 2004.